

## **Pastoral Profile: Mosaic Church of Clayton, NC**

**[mosaicclayton.org](http://mosaicclayton.org)**

Mosaic Church of Clayton is ecumenical by nature. Our life and faith together encompass many Christian traditions. However, we find our roots in the Baptist tradition. We have partnerships with CBF, CBFNC, and RBA.

We ascribe to the essential theology found in the Apostle and Nicene Creed, believe in the Lordship of Christ, the importance of spiritual formation, and the centrality and authority of Scripture. We believe in the Priesthood of All Believers and Autonomy of the Local Church. We support freedom of religion for all people & faith groups.

Our congregational family consists of new believers, seasoned believers, doubters, sinners, and seekers. Mosaic Church of Clayton is prayerfully seeking a person of God who is called into pastoral leadership. Formal theological education is required, with preference for candidate with Master's level or higher. Our preference is toward someone ordained, but this is not a requirement.

In gathering information from our church family, a collection of ideal characteristics was created.

We seek a community oriented candidate who exemplifies servant leadership, has a heart for both teaching and empowering others to lead. Our pastor will be a Bible believer with a love for sharing knowledge and understanding of the Word of God. As a confidant, this person must be trustworthy, approachable, accessible, a good listener, and open to accountability. The pastor must embrace Mosaic and its traditions, while bringing creativity and inspiration to our family and community.

We pray for a pastor who will live like Christ and seek the Kingdom of God on Earth, leading people through compassion, love, and patience. This leadership will inspire Mosaic family and the community to live differently in a loving, non-judgmental, humble way that invites those around us to desire the Christ-like love we share. Our desire is to live as Christians in our daily journey, and our pastor will exemplify this.

Our Mosaic family desires an engaging speaker who teaches interactively and is relatable. Services at Mosaic are casual, and teaching through sermons is best received without formal lecture. We desire to learn from a pastor who will speak the Truth and embrace a deep reverence for God's grace.

Mosaic's pastor will not focus on political activities, but will be a defender of social justice. It is imperative that our pastor be open-minded and inclusive and welcoming of anyone regardless of race, culture, gender, sexual orientation, age, ethnicity, or creed. We wish to welcome anyone who desires to seek more of God to be a part of the Mosaic family.

Mosaic is a missional church that seeks to engage in opportunities to love and serve others. Our pastor should have missions leadership experience and be willing to support our missional growth.

This position requires a self-motivated individual who has strong skills as a team player. We are a small congregation with big dreams to love God, love each other, and live like Christ. We are open to someone serving in a bi-vocational capacity.

If you are interested in being considered for this pastoral position, please do the following:

- Submit your resume and accompanying materials\* via email to:

stephaniemshaffer@gmail.com

\* Please include a Cover Letter, Curriculum Vitae or Resume, Statement of Faith, and brief Statement of Interest.

- All applications will be confidential. Your current employer will not be contacted unless you are a final candidate, at which time you will be alerted as to our possible communication.
- Please do not include sermon samples, references, or reference letters at this time. Should you be considered further, you will be asked to provide additional resources.

Candidates will be expected to live within a reasonable distance of Clayton, NC in order to be accessible and engage with Mosaic families and our community. Acceptable distance will be discussed further with final candidate.

The anticipated compensation package is \$25,000 annually.

Applications will be accepted through September 30, 2018.

Please contact Stephanie Shaffer with any questions:

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